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For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 " " "
" 12 " 5 " " "

WILLIAM FORREST,
Manager.
Hongkong, May 10, 1880.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £5,000,000 Dollars.
RESERVE FUND, £1,600,000 Dollars.

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" 6 " 4 " " "
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T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road East.
Hongkong, August 16, 1880.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.

(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1848.)

RECOGNIZED BY THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF 30th April, 1862.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP, £200,000.
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THE UNION BANK OF LONDON.

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E. G. VOULLEMONT,
Manager, Shanghai.
Hongkong, May 20, 1879.

Banks.

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(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £1,500,000.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

At 3 months' notice 3½ per annum.
" 6 " " 4 " " "
" 12 " " 5 " " "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

GEO. O. SCOTT,
Acting Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation,
Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

Notices of Firms.

VICTORIA FOUNDRY.

WE, the Undersigned, having purchased the Lease and Plant of the above Foundry and Engineering Works, intend carrying on BUSINESS OF ENGINEERS, IRON AND BRASS FOUNDERS, &c., from this date under the Style and Title of "FENWICK, MORRISON & Co."

GEO. FENWICK,
ROBT. MORRISON.

Victoria Foundry, Wanchai,
Hongkong, June 14, 1880. se14

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

MULLER FRERES' CELEBRATED OLD BRANDY, in Cases of 1 dozen Qts.

Apply to
HESSE & Co.,
Sole Agents.
Hongkong, Sept. 1, 1880. 1j81

FOR SALE.

MUNTZ PATENT YELLOW METAL SHEATHING, all Sizes.

AND COMPOSITION NAILS, in Lots to Suit Purchasers.

G. R. LAMBERT,
Pedlar's Wharf Buildings.
Hongkong, July 28, 1880.

FOR SALE.

JULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE, Quarts, £16 per doz. Case. Pints, £17 per 2 doz.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

NOW READY.

PRICE, \$1.00.

"COMPARATIVE CHINESE FAMILY LAW," BY E. H. PARKER.

Can be obtained from KELLY & WALSH at Shanghai and Hongkong, and at LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong, and at the China Mail Office.

Hongkong, December 6, 1879.

JAPAN SELTZER WATER MANUFACTURED BY J. LLEWELLYN & Co.

J. LLEWELLYN & Co. from JAPAN SPRING WATER AT THEIR FACTORY, SHANGHAI.

Agents in Hongkong—Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, July 31, 1880. 81j81

WASHING BOOKS.

(In English and Chinese.)

WARRERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, are now ready at this Office. Price, 1s each.

CHINA MAIL OFFICE.

To Let.

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FIRST FLOOR AND GROUND FLOOR of House No. 4, Praya East (known as the BLUE HOUSES); Possession on the 1st of October.

Also.

The HOUSE opposite the WANCHI FIRE Marine Lot No. 23, containing 8 Rooms, etc., etc., with Gas and Water laid on; Immediate possession.

Apply to
MEYER & Co.
Hongkong, September 2, 1880.

TO LET.

N. O. 8, HOLLYWOOD ROAD, containing Right Rooms and Out-Houses.

Apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
Hongkong, August 16, 1880.

TO LET.

COAL GODOWNS—TO LET.

BURROWS' GODOWNS, Nos. 49, 50A, and 50B, PRAYA EAST, with Private WHARF.

The GODOWNS, Nos. 111, 111A and 112, WANCHI ROAD.

Apply to
SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, June 15, 1880.

For Sale.

KELLY & WALSH

HAVE just received the following NEW & IMPORTANT BOOKS.

"La Conquete du Ton-Kin," Dupuis, 2 vols., 80 cts.
"La Province Chinoise du Yun-Nan," Rochem, 2 vols., 60
"Histoire de Relations de la Chine avec l'Annam," Deveria, 2.00
Spor's "Engineers' and Contractors' Prices 1880-81," 2.50
"The Engineers' and Merchants' Drawing Book," compiled from the works of Le Blanc & Armengand, 5.00
Cullery's "Handbook of Telegraphy," 5.00
"The Revised English Bible," morocco, 5.50
"Sewers and Drains for Populous Districts," 3.50
Dr. Farrer's "Eternal Hope," 2.00
"Choke Bore Guns," Greener, 2.50
Ainsley's "Engineers' Guide," new edition, 1.00
"Home Nursing," 1.00

Reed's "Engineers' Guide," new edition, 2.00
"Maclean on Banking," now ed., A large assortment of new Juvenile BOOKS, 60
"Facts about Port," 60
"Diction on Billiards," diagrams, 2.00
Wallace's "Malay Archipelago," 4.00
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"The Red Amulet's Guide," 1.75
Dr. Edkins' "Chinese Buddhism," 5.50
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New Pocket SLATES, from New FANCY NOTE PAPERS, 25
PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS for Cabinets only.
New Designs in SCRAP BOOKS, NEWSPAPER CUTTINGS, ALBUMS.
A New Stock of Dance MUSIC and SONGS.

Hongkong, August 27, 1880.

NOTICE.

MONSIEUR DEVILLE, Manufacturer of Chemical Products, 67, Faubourg St. Denis, Paris, has the honor to announce to the Public that the following Articles of the utmost utility in every household, and of which he is Inventor and Sole Manufacturer, are to be obtained in Hongkong from the undermentioned Firms.

L'ARGENTINE DEVILLE.

This celebrated liquid, which is guaranteed to be a solution of pure silver, is the only composition whereby articles of brass, copper, and all kinds of plated goods can be silvered without the aid of the electric battery.

DEVILLE'S RENOVATOR.

For restoring instantaneously all kinds of varnished and polished furniture without distinction of color, Billiard Tables, Pianos, Sewing Machines, Iron Bedsteads, Carriages, and Patent Leather, and when used on Fixtures or Dry Goods Stores, will be found efficacious in preventing ants eating the wood and goods.

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For Harness, Carriage Covers, Hunting Boots, and to renew the brilliancy of Morocco leather of blue, green, black or any dark color, without altering the color, and to prevent Boots, &c., being eaten by insects and rendering the leather soft and waterproof.

On SALE by—Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., SAYLE & Co., and KNUSE & Co.
Hongkong, September 6, 1880. se18

To Let.

TO LET.

TWO HOUSES, Nos. 14 and 16, Stanley Street, lately in the occupation of the TEMPERANCE HALL.

THE DWELLING HOUSES—Nos. 31 and 33, WELLINGTON STREET, dated 23rd May 1877, and signed by Edward Cope pro Manager and R. A. Nelson pro Accountant, these Notes having been Stolen.

For the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation,
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 31, 1880.

TO LET.

ON MARINE LOT No. 65, FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS.

Apply to
MEYER & Co.
Hongkong, July 25, 1879.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from H. M. Naval Store-keeper to sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY,
the 8th Sept., 1880, at Noon, at H. M. Naval Yard,—

OLD SUNDRY Condemned Naval and Victualling STORES, comprising:—

Old Iron, Paper Stuff, Hoses, Canvas Bags, Glass, Clocks, Files, Lignum Vitae, Chocolate, Biscuits, Tobacco, Cloth, Flannel, Serge, Blue Jean, Duck, Drill, Implements, &c., &c.

Also.

One 30-ft. CUTTER.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Government Auctioneer.

Hongkong, Sept. 6, 1880. se8

Intimations.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

CONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS are requested to send in a Statement of Business CONTRIBUTED during the Half-Year ended 30th June, 1880, on or before September 30th, on which Date the Accounts will be CLOSED.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
D. GILLIES,
Secretary.

Hongkong, August 25, 1880. ool

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Hongkong, August 25, 1880. ool

CHAS. J. GAUFF & Co., CHRONOMETER, WATCH, AND CLOCK-MAKERS, JEWELLERS, SILVERSMITHS, AND OPTICIANS.

Have been appointed Sole Agents for VICTORIAN and SON'S Celebrated MARINE GLASSES, OPERA GLASSES, and TELESCOPES.

Hongkong, September 4, 1880. no4

DENTAL NOTICE.

DR. ROGERS, now on a visit to SHANGHAI, will return to Hongkong early in the Winter as usual.

Hongkong, April 1, 1880.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

THE Public are warned against receiving FIVE DOLLAR NOTES of the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, numbered 122001 to 122500, dated 23rd May 1877, and signed by Edward Cope pro Manager and R. A. Nelson pro Accountant, these Notes having been Stolen.

For the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation,
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 31, 1880.

Intimations.

FROM NOBEL'S EXPLOSIVES CO., LIMITED, GLASGOW, can be had in any quantity on application to

THE BORNEO CO., Ltd., Agents.
Hongkong, March 8, 1880. Sur81

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The England China Mail.

(The oldest Overland Paper in China.)

PUBLISHED at the "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE IN TIME FOR THE ENGLISH MAIL.

Containing from 72 to 84 columns of closely printed matter.

THIS Mail Summary is compiled from the Daily China Mail, is published twice a month on the morning of the English Mail's departure, and is a record of each fortnight's current history of events in China and Japan, contributed in original reports and collected from the journals published at the various ports in those countries.

It contains Shipping news from Shanghai, Hongkong, Canton, &c., and a complete Commercial Summary.

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Notices to Consignees.

NOTICE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP Co.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the Company's Steamer CITY OF PEKING, are hereby notified that their Goods are being landed and stored in the Company's Godowns, from whence delivery may be obtained.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

RUSSELL & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, September 1, 1880.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

AMERICAN SHIP "SAN JOAQUIN," FROM ANTWERP.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignee's risk and expense.

ARNHOLD, KARBBERG & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, August 9, 1880.

Notices to Consignees.

CASTLE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. *London Castle*, MARSHALL, Commander, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo, including Cargo per steamer *Trinacria*, from New York, are hereby informed that all Goods landed, at the exception of Opium—are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Undersigned at Wanchai, whence delivery may be obtained.

Consignees wishing to receive their Goods on the Wharf are at liberty to do so.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless notice to the contrary be given before 5 p.m. To-day.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 10th Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, September 3, 1880. se10

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship *Suez* having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignee's risk and expense.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Hongkong, September 1, 1880. se8

STEAMSHIP "ARRATON APCAR," FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE above Steamer having arrived Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after the 3rd Instant, will be landed and stored at Consignee's risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected.

Consignees are hereby informed that any Claims must be made immediately, as none will be entertained after the 10th Instant.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, September 1, 1880. se8

AMERICAN SHIP "CORAL," FROM ANTWERP.

CONSIGNEES OF CARGO.

Consignees of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignee's risk and expense.

Consignees are also informed that before delivery can be obtained, they will be required to send the Average Bond.

ARNHOLD, KARBBERG & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, August 20, 1880.

NOTICE.

F N (in dia.) } 2001/2500, 500 Boxes WIN-
DOW GLASS.
G N (in dia.) } 2501/3000, 500 Boxes WIN-
DOW GLASS.

Shipped by STEINMANN & LUDWIG.

CONSIGNEES OF THE ABOVE-NAMED CARGO.

Consignees of the above-named Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be at once landed and stored at Consignee's risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented before the 15th Instant, or they will not be recognized.

ARNHOLD, KARBBERG & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, August 24, 1880.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship *Euphrates*, Capt. M. R. ORR, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignee's risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented before the 15th Instant, or they will not be recognized.

RUSSELL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, September 4, 1880. se11

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR YOKOHAMA.

The Steamship "Euphrates," Capt. M. R. ORR, shortly due, will have immediate dispatch for the above Port.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, September 1, 1880.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship "Detention," Capt. T. T. FORDY, will be despatched on or about the 10th Proximo.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, August 25, 1880.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship "Detention," Capt. T. T. FORDY, will be despatched on or about the 10th Proximo.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, August 25, 1880.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship "Detention," Capt. T. T. FORDY, will be despatched on or about the 10th Proximo.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, August 25, 1880.

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

The Steamship "Kwangtung," Captain YOUNG, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 7th Instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, September 3, 1880. se7

FOR MANILA.

The Spanish Steamer "Zaragosa," Captain BLANCO, will be despatched for the above Port on TUESDAY, the 7th Inst., at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
REMEDIOS & Co.
Hongkong, September 3, 1880. se7

FOR AMOY.

The Steamship "Emeralda," Captain TALBOT, shortly due, will have immediate dispatch for the above Port.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, September 4, 1880.

FOR PORT DARWIN (DIRECT).

The Steamship "Casandra," Captain LANGE, Commander, will be despatched for the above Port, and will have immediate dispatch.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
VOGEL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, August 30, 1880.

FOR SHANGHAI.

The Steamship "Thurhill," WALKER, Commander, will be despatched for the above Port, on the 10th Proximo.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
ARNHOLD, KARBBERG & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, August 28, 1880.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

The Steamship "Suez," Captain J. D. KATON, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 11th Inst., at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Hongkong, September 3, 1880. se11

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

The Steamship "Arratoon Apcar," Capt. A. B. MACAVISH, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 11th Inst., at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, September 3, 1880. se11

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, NEWCHANG, TIEN-TSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship "Telamachus," Captain R. JONES, will be despatched on or about the 11th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, September 2, 1880.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship "Laertes," Capt. R. F. SCALE, will be despatched on or about the 21st September.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, August 30, 1880.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR YOKOHAMA (DIRECT).

The Co.'s Steamship "Stentor," Capt. J. KIRKPATRICK, will be despatched on or about the 13th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, September 4, 1880.

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THE CHINA MAIL.

For Sale.

MacEwen, Frickel & Co.
HAVE JUST RECEIVED
FOR THE SPORTING SEASON
A FINE STOCK OF
An Invoice of
Messrs P. WELLES' 12-bore BREECH LOADING
CENTRAL FIRE GUNS.
Messrs WARD & SONS' 12-bore CENTRAL
FIRE BREECH LOADING HAMMERLESS
AND SELF-COOKING GUNS.
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"Flora Symbolica."
"Humorous Sketches."
"Aunt Louisa's 'Birthday Book.'"

"Aunt Louisa's 'Favorite Toy Book.'"
"Aunt Louisa's 'Keepsake.'"
"Aunt Louisa's 'London Picture Book.'"
"Zoological Gardens."
"Ochloa Present."

"Lear's 'Book of Nonsense.'"
"Army and Navy Drill Book."
"Old Picture in New Frame."
"Grimm's 'Tales and Stories.'"
"The Broad Broad Ocean."
"Andersen's 'Fairy Tales.'"

"Treasury of the Earth."
"Pepper's 'Diary and Correspondence.'"
"A Century of Anecdotes."
"Pope's Homer's 'Iliad and Odyssey.'"
"Koran."
"Carpenter's 'Popular Education.'"

"Best of Everything."
"Manners and Tone of Good Society."
"Society Small Talk."
"How We are Governed."
"Illustrated Birthday Motto Book."
"Half Hours," 2 Vols.

"Half Hours of English History."
"Warne's 'Model Crocheter.'"
"The Modern Householder."
"Home Doctoring."
"Domestic Medicine and Surgery."
"The Chaucer Classics."

"The Companion Library."
"Notable Novels."
"Twelve 'Olebo' Works."
"The Art of Amusing."
"The Merry Circle."
"Maglo no Mystery."

"Hanky Panky."
"Secret Out."
"Westrop's 'Book of Poetry.'"
"Baker's 'Clouds in the East.'"
"Architectural Styles."
"History of Advertising."

"Birthday Gift Books."
"Paradise Lost and Paradise Regained."
"Hawley's 'Engineer's Pocket Book.'"
"Baker's 'Philosophy of the Human Voice.'"
"Owen's 'Curious Facts of Insects.'"
"Franklin Square Library."

"Harpers' 'Half-hour' Series."
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Mails.

U. S. MAIL LINE.
PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP
COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA
OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND THROUGH
AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF
PEKING will be despatched for San
Francisco, via Yokohama, on THURSDAY,
the 9th September, at 1 p.m., taking
Passengers, and Freight, for Japan, the
United States, and Europe.

Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-
portation to Yokohama and other Japan
Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and
inland Cities of the United States via Over-
land Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and
Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central
and South America by the Company's and
connecting Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to
England, France, and Germany by all
trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

Freight will be received on board until 2
p.m., the 8th September. Parcel Packages
will be received at the office until 5 p.m.,
same day; all Parcel Packages should be
marked to address in full; value of same
is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland
Cargo should be sent to the Company's
Office in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the
Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage
and Freight, apply to the Agency of the
Company, No. 9, Praya Central.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, August 23, 1880.

NOTICE.
COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
MARITIMES.
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR
AIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,
POINT DE GALLE,
ADEN, SUERZ, ISMAILIA, PORT
SAID, NAPLES, AND
MARSEILLES;

ALSO,
PONDICHERY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA
AND ALL INDIAN PORTS.

ON MONDAY, the 13th day of September,
1880, at Noon the Company's
S. S. ANADYR, Commandant DIDIER,
with MALES, PASSENGERS, SPECIE,
and CARGO, will leave this Port for the
above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for
London at Noon the Company's
S. S. ANADYR, Commandant DIDIER,
with MALES, PASSENGERS, SPECIE,
and CARGO, will leave this Port for the
above places.

Cargo will be received on board until
4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m., on
the 12th September, 1880. (Parcels are
not to be sent on board; they must be
left at the Agency's Office.)
Contents and value of Packages are re-
quired.

For further particulars, apply at the
Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.
Hongkong, August 31, 1880.

THE U. S. MAIL LINE.
PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP
COMPANY.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA KOBE
AND INLAND SEA.

THE S. S. NIIGATA MARU, Captain
WALKER, due here on or about
the 13th instant, will be despatched as above
on SATURDAY, the 18th September, at
Daylight.

Cargo received on board and Parcels at
the Office up to 6 p.m. of 17th September.
No Bill of Lading signed under \$2
Freight.

All claims must be settled on board
before departure is taken, otherwise they
will not be recognized.

RATES OF PASSAGE.
To Kobe, Cabin \$50, Steerage \$10.
To Yokohama & Co. \$70. Do. 20.
To Nagasaki, do. \$70. Do. 20.

A Reduction is made on RETURN CARDS
PASSENGERS.
CARGO and PASSENGERS for Nagasaki
will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail
Steamer at Kobe.

For further Particulars, apply at the
Company's Office, No. 604, QUEEN'S
ROAD CENTRAL.

Hongkong, September 4, 1880.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of
China and Japan, and at Singapore,
Saidon and Penang.

Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance
granted at the rate of Premium current at
the above mentioned Ports.

NO CHARGE FOR POLICY FEES.

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, November 1, 1871.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY.

THE Underigned are prepared to grant
Policies against Fire to the extent of
\$45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored
therein, at current local rates, subject to a
Discount of 20% on the Premium.

NORTON & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, January 1, 1874.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Underigned, Agents for the above
Company, are prepared to grant In-
surances at current rates.

MELOCHERS & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.
Hongkong, October 27, 1874.

Insurances.

LONDON & STAFFORDSHIRE FIRE
INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HITHERTO CALLED THE
STAFFORDSHIRE FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Underigned are prepared to issue
Policies covering FIRE RISKS at
Current Rates.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, August 26, 1880.

CHINA TRADERS' FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE, HONGKONG.

Position of the Company at the close of the
last financial year, the 30th April, 1880.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....\$1,000,000.00
CAPITAL PAID-UP.....\$300,000.00
RESERVE FUND.....\$25,000.00
BALANCE UNDIVIDED.....\$70,278.43

DIVIDEND PAID TO SHARE-
HOLDERS.....20% per ANNU-
DIVIDEND PAID TO ALL CONTRIBUTORS
OF BUSINESS, 25% on the amount of
their Contributions.

THE Company grants Policies on MARINE
RISKS to all parts of the World, pay-
able at any of its Agencies.

Contributory Dividends are PAYABLE
TO ALL CONTRIBUTORS OF BUSI-
NESS, WHETHER THEY ARE SHARE-
HOLDERS OR NOT.

B. GOLDSMIT, Acting Secretary.
Hongkong, August 13, 1880.

YANGTZE FIRE INSURANCE
ASSOCIATION.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid up).....\$420,000
PERMANENT RESERVE.....\$230,000
SPECIAL RESERVE FUND.....\$263,268

TOTAL CAPITAL AND AC-
CUMULATIONS, 8th
April, 1880.....\$913,268

Directors.
F. B. FORBES, Esq., Chairman.
W. M. BOYD, Esq., W. MEYERSON, Esq.,
J. H. FINKEL, Esq., F. D. HITCH, Esq.,
Esq.

HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI.

Messrs RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries.

LONDON BRANCH:
Messrs BARKING BROTHERS & Co.,
Bankers.

RICHARD BLACKWELL, Esq., Agent,
68 and 69, Cornhill.

Policies granted on Marine Risks to all
parts of the World.

Subject to a charge of 12% for Interest
on Shareholders' Capital, all the PROFITS
of the UNDERWRITING BUSINESS are
annually distributed among all Contributors
of Business in proportion to the Premiums
paid by them.

RUSSELL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, May 11, 1880.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE
INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and
Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1803.

CAPITAL £2,000,000.

THE Underigned, AGENTS at Hongkong
for the above Company, are prepared
to grant Policies against FIRE, to the
extent of £100,000 on any Building, or
on Merchandise in the same, at the
usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20
per cent.

GILMAN & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, July 6, 1875.

TO-day's Advertisements.

FOR AMOY AND TAIWANFOO.
The Steamship
Capt. F. ASHBY, will be
despatched for the above
Ports on THURSDAY, the 9th Inst., at
Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, September 6, 1880.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-
Ship Company.

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND
PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED
STATES AND EUROPE,
IN CONNECTION WITH THE
CENTRAL
AND
UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING
RAILROAD COMPANIES
AND
ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

THE S. S. GASTRO will be despatched
for San Francisco via Yokohama,
on FRIDAY, the 24th instant, 1880, at
3 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for
Japan, the United States, Mexico, Central
and South America, and Europe.

Connection is made at Yokohama, with
Steamers from Shanghai.

Freight will be received on Board until
4 p.m. of the 23rd September. PARCEL
PACKAGES will be received at the Office
until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages
should be marked to address in full; value
of same is required.

A Reduction is made on RETURN PAS-
SAGE TICKETS.

Consular Invoices to accompany Over-
land, Mexican, Central and South American
Cargo, should be sent to the Company's
Office addressed to the Collector of Customs,
San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight
or Passage, apply to the Agency of the
Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central.

CHAS. H. HASWELL, Jr.,
Agent.
Hongkong, September 6, 1880.

To-day's Advertisements.

NOTICE.
COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
MARITIMES.
PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co's Steamship
"Volga,"
Commandant GUIRAND,
will be despatched for the
next French Mail from Europe.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.
Hongkong, September 6, 1880.

NOTICE.
COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
MARITIMES.
PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co's Steamship
"Iradoody,"
Commandant GUIRAND,
will be despatched for the
next French Mail from Europe.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.
Hongkong, September 6, 1880.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
MARITIMES.
NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo
are requested to send in their Bills of
Lading to the Underigned for counter-
signature, and take immediate delivery.
This Cargo has been landed and stored at
their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Ex Onus.
M N 4560/61, Mr Paul Minard, 2 casks
RDC Cogne, from Marseilles.

Ex Feila.
J (in diamond) No 8, 19/14, Order, 2 cases
Flannel, &c, from London.

QT (in diamond), 41/42, Order, 2 cases
Perfums, &c, from London.

HS 1891/93, 500, 5 cases Colours, from
Marseilles.

HS 1870/74, Order, 5 cases Colours, from
Marseilles.

HS 1864/65, Order, 2 cases Colours, from
Marseilles.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.
Hongkong, September 6, 1880.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor
Owners will be Responsible for
any Debt contracted by the Officers or
Crew of the following Vessels, during
their stay in Hongkong Harbour:-

GENERAL FARMER, American barque,
Capt. David Kelly, -Melchers & Co.

ROSIE WELT, American ship, Capt. O. C.
Welt, -Arnold, Karberg & Co.

JOHN M. CLERK, American barque, Capt.
B. W. Conant, -Douglas Lapraik & Co.

SAN JOAQUIN, American ship, Capt. J.
B. Drinker, -Arnold, Karberg & Co.

KEPLER, German barque, Capt. Hazen-
burg, -Siemens & Co.

WOODVILLE, British barque, Capt. Lewis
Rudd, -Arnold, Karberg & Co.

MELCHOR, German barque, Captain T.
Hornemann, -Melchers & Co.

CHINA, German 3-masted schooner, Captain
Bogien, -Arnold, Karberg & Co.

OREGON, American ship, Capt. Pennell,
-P. & O. S. N. Co.

CARAPLIT, British barque, Captain
John McKenzie, -Melchers & Co.

HANNAH W. DUDLEY, American barque,
Capt. D. W. Dudley, -Adamson, Bell & Co.

CHARLES TOWNSEND HOOK, British str.,
Capt. Bradley, -Edward Schellhaus & Co.

CRYSTAL, American barque, Captain Hay-
den, -Russell & Co.

HANSA, German barque, Captain L. O.
Denckou, -Wieler & Co.

CARGO.
Per Rohilla, to London, 25,190 half-
cheats, 19,444 boxes and 852 pkgs. Tea,
352 bales Silk, 63 bales Waste Silk, 17
boxes Silk Piece Goods, and 1,346 pkgs.
Sundries. To Continent, 366 bales Silk,
2 boxes Silk Piece Goods, and 55 pkgs.
Sundries.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Sept. 4, 8 p.m., America, British steamer,
652, J. Mooney, Hongkong, Sept. 2, and
Hushow, General, -BIRLEY & Co.

Sept. 5, Rohilla, British steamer, 2227,
Wm. Barry, Shanghai Sept. 1, Mails and
General, -P. & O. S. N. Co.

Sept. 5, Yallong, British steamer, 286,
McDonough, Swatow Sept. 4, General, -
Kwok Achong & Sons.

Sept. 5, Elcano, Spanish steamer, 439,
L. Uriola, Amoy Sept. 3, General, -
Remedios & Co.

Sept. 5, Johann Heinrich, Ger. 3-m. sch.,
411, J. Westmann, Keelung Aug. 25, Coal,
-JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Sept. 5, Marie Louise, German barque,
442, A. Brichsen, Newchwang Aug. 18,
Beau, -WILBER & Co.

Sept. 5, Hainan, American steamer, 285,
J. W. Conant, Pakhoi Sept. 2, Hainow 4,
and Macao 5, General, -RUSSELL & Co.

Sept. 6, Fernambuco, British steamer,
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